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APPLICANTS: BISHER, JAMES ART UNIT: 2623  
APPL. NO.: 09/845,510 EXAMINER: SHANG, ANNAN Q.  
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TITLE: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MULTICASTING PACKETS IN A SUBSCRIBER  
NETWORK

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action mailed on November 20, 20007, the time for responding thereto being three months so that a response is due on or before February 20, 2008. Should it be determined that a fee is due with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to deposit account #19-0761.

The following amendments and remarks are submitted in connection with the above-identified patent application. Reconsideration of the final rejection and allowance of the application is respectfully requested at this time.